

TRANSFER GUIDE

BA, Geology  
Appalachian State University  
2019-2020

Department of Geological & Environmental Sciences  
College of Arts & Sciences  
Program of Study

Community College Coursework: 60 Transfer hours		Associate in Science			
Semester	NCCC Course	Course Name	Hours	Appalachian Equivalent	Notes
Semester 1: 14 hours	ENG 111	Writing & Inquiry	3	RC 1000	
	MAT 171	Precalculus	4	MAT 1020	Prerequisite for MAT 172
	UGETC	Social Science	3		
	UGETC	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
	ACA 122	College Transfer Success	1		
Semester hours			14		
Semester 2: 17 hours	ENG 112	Writing/Research in the Disciplines	3	RC 2001	
	MAT 172	Trigonometry	4	MAT 1025	Prerequisite for MAT 271
	CHM 151	General Chemistry I	4	CHE 1101/1110	Required for the major
	UGETC	Social Science	3		
	UGETC	Humanity/Fine Art	3		
Semester hours			17		
Semester 3: 15 hours	MAT 271	Calculus I	4	MAT 1110	Required for the major
	CHM 152	General Chemistry II	4	CHE 1102/1120	Required for the major
	PHY 251	Physics I	4	PHY 1150	Required for the major
	FL 111	Elementary Foreign Language I	3	FL 1010	Required for the major
	Semester hours			15	
Semester 4: 14 hours	PHY 252	Physics II	4	PHY 1151	Required for the major
	GEL 111 or GEL 120	Geology or Physical Geology	4	GLY 1101	Satisfies 1000-level Geology course
	FL 112	Beginning Foreign Language II	3	FL 1020	Required for the major
	Pre-Major/GEC/Elective		3		
	Semester hours			14	
<b>Total AS degree hours</b>			<b>60</b>		

Appalachian Course Work: 60 hours					
Semester	Appalachian Course	Course Name	Hours		Notes
Semester 5: 13 hours	GLY 2250	Evolution of the Earth	4		
	Math or Computer Science Elective Course		3		
	FL 1040	Intermediate Foreign Language I	3		
	Minor Course		3		
	Semester hours			13	
Semester 6: 13 hours	GLY 2745	Preparation of Geological Reports	4		
	GLY Lab Elective Course		3		
	Minor Course		3		
	Minor Course		3		
	Semester hours			13	
Semester 7: 15 hours	GLY 3220	Fundamentals of Mineralogy	3		
	GLY 3150	Structural Geology & Tectonics	3		
	Minor Course		3		
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Semester hours			15		
Semester 8: 13 hours	GLY 4210	Geology Seminar	1	Capstone	
	GLY 3715	Petrology & Petrography	3		
	GLY 3800	Sedimentology & Stratigraphy	3		
	Minor Course		3		
	Free Elective		3		
Semester hours			13		
Summer: 6 hours	GLY 4835	Summer Field Geology	6		
	Semester hours			6	
<b>Total Appalachian hours</b>			<b>60</b>		

**Applying to Appalachian:**

- A minimum cumulative GPA of 2.25, from all post-secondary coursework, is required for admission to Appalachian.
- Students interested in applying to Appalachian should submit an on-line application and official college transcripts to be considered for admission.
- Students hoping to attend a summer or fall term are encouraged to apply by February 15th and those hoping to attend in the spring are encouraged to apply by October 15th.

**Advising & Community College Course Selection:**

- For UGETC, Pre-Major, Elective, or GEC course options please refer to the [Comprehensive Articulation Agreement transfer course list](#).
- Students should work with their community college academic advisor to ensure appropriate course selection for AA degree completion.

**Transfer Information:**

- A minor is required for this degree.
- Students will work with an Appalachian advisor, after transferring, to develop an individual graduation plan.

**Transfer Resources:**

- Office of Transfer Services [transfer.appstate.edu](http://transfer.appstate.edu)
- Office of Admissions [admissions.appstate.edu](http://admissions.appstate.edu)
- Office of Financial Aid [financialaid.appstate.edu](http://financialaid.appstate.edu)
- Scholarships [scholarships.appstate.edu](http://scholarships.appstate.edu)
- Career Development [careers.appstate.edu](http://careers.appstate.edu)
- University Housing [housing.appstate.edu](http://housing.appstate.edu)
- Off-Campus Housing [offcampushousing.appstate.edu](http://offcampushousing.appstate.edu)
- Campus Activities [campusactivities.appstate.edu](http://campusactivities.appstate.edu)



Questions, please call the Office of Transfer Services at 828-262-7877